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IN RE APPLICATION OF :  
ANNE LAQUEYRERIE, ET AL. : ATTN: NEW APPLICATIONS  
SERIAL NO: NEW APPLICATION :  
FILED: HEREWITH :  
FOR: MYCOBACTERIAL PROTEINS, :  
MICROORGANISMS PRODUCING THEM  
AND THEIR USE FOR VACCINES AND  
FOR THE DETECTION OF  
TUBERCULOSIS

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
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SIR:

Prior to examination, please amend the application as follows.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.